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BENTON, LA.,
THURSDAY, MAY 30, 1895.

For Paints, Oil, Varnishes and Window Glass, go to Leon M. Carter's, Shreveport.

One hundred and five million people speak the English language, or try to.

Forty cents, cash, for an ounce of Quinine, at Leon M. Carter's Drug Store, Shreveport, this week.

Rev. P. H. Hensley will preach at Cottage Grove next Sunday at 11 a. m. and Benton at 4 p. m.

A visit to Leon M. Carter, Druggist, Shreveport, will convince you that the hard times are knocked out by low prices.

Texas has 52 daily papers and 562 weeklies, all prosperous. Texas is a great and glorious State.

Why pay stamped prices for patent medicines when you can save from 15 to 25 per cent by buying from Leon M. Carter, Shreveport?

The commercial firm of Messrs. Glassell & Curry has been dissolved. Mr. Curry will continue the business at Plain Dealing. See card in this issue.

The largest stock of Blau's Books and Stationery can be found at Leon M. Carter's, Druggist and Stationer, corner Texas and Spring streets, Shreveport.

Whenever there is a man working hard there are always three or four others watching him and making suggestions. This has been so from remote times.

Cotton is low, but you can buy from Leon M. Carter, Druggist, Shreveport, at prices that it will make you think that the world is coming to an end.

One of the Vanderbilts has placed a library in his house that cost about \$100,000, and he has about as much use for it as a tramp has for a maul and wedge.

An elegant assortment of Spring and Summer Millinery Goods can be found at Miss Mary A. Files', on Texas street, Shreveport. Miss Files has in her store goods only of the finest and best material, and purchasers can rely on bargains being as represented.

It takes 9,000 breweries to supply England with beer, and during the past year about 1,000 have been closed.

The neatest and most unique outfit we have ever seen of the kind is Adamson's Ornamental Penmanship Cabinet. For those learning to write and for those who can already write a good hand, it is worth dollars where only cents are charged for the Cabinet. For sale at this office. Call and see samples!

The States, one of the firmest advocates of ballot reform in the State, refuses to concur with the late convention in going outside of the Democratic party to fight for ballot reform. Like the Advocate and the States there are thousands of Democrats all over Louisiana who believe in pure elections and honest politics who will refuse to be delivered over bound hand and foot to the Republicans as would be the effect of carrying out the advice of the schemers who put up a job on the convention.—*DeSoto Democrat-Journal.*

Come and see us when you come to Shreveport. After getting our prices and spending your cash you will feel happier. Leon M. Carter, 290 Texas Street.

Personal Paragraphs.

Miss Lina Tidwell is the guest of her aunt, Mrs. L. A. Brownlee.

Misses Mattie Oneal and Virginia Dorman visited in Benton Sunday. Mrs. A. C. Butts left Tuesday on a ten days' visit to friends in Greenwood.

Miss Bessie Ogilvie, of Shreveport, was the guest of Miss Sallie Cade yesterday.

United States Senator N. C. Blanchard was the guest of Mr. J. A. W. Lowry Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cabeen and baby Amelia returned to their home in Benton Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Milling and Mrs. Knott, of Cottage Grove, were the guests of Mrs. S. S. Cabeen Friday and Saturday.

Miss Kate Thompson, of Cottage Grove, was the guest of Misses Janie and Dollie Cabeen a few days during the past week.

Shreveport Caucasian: Senator N. C. Blanchard will be one of the speakers at the State Educational Convention that meets at the Chautauqua on July 22.

Sheriff A. R. Thompson and Mr. H. J. Lenoir, left Monday evening for Chicago, to witness the unveiling of a statue to the memory of the Confederate dead, buried at Camp Douglas.

Mr. H. B. Guillim, representing the A. N. Kellogg Newspaper Co.'s house at Little Rock, Ark., gave the Banner a call last Monday. He is an enterprising young gentleman and knows how to talk business.

Among those who attended the reunion at Houston were the following named citizens of Bossier: Hon. H. W. Ogden, Capt. S. M. Thomas and daughter, Miss Lillian Thomas, Dr. Paul Lawrence, Messrs. A. J. Murff, T. M. Vaughan, L. T. Sanders, W. H. Bledsoe, N. F. McDade, H. Barnacastle and Aleck Worley.

Mr. E. M. Burleigh, of Morrow, La., and Miss Catherine J. Calloway, of Webster parish, were married at Shreveport, on last Wednesday, May 22. The pretty and charming bride is a sister of Dr. I. M. Calloway, of Alden Bridge, this parish. The groom is a worthy young man, and is fortunate in his admirable selection.

Shreveport Times: Mr. W. C. Perrin has associated with him Mr. J. P. Cresswell, formerly of Vaughan & Cresswell, of Benton, La. The style of the new firm will be Perrin & Cresswell. They will do a cotton factorage, real estate and general commission business. We take pleasure in recommending the new firm to the public and refer to their real estate column published in this issue.

Shreveport Times: Miss Sallie Rascoe Cox, accompanied by her father, Mr. Robert Doyle, paid the office a pleasant visit the past week. Miss Cox has lately graduated at Baylor College, Belton, Texas. Miss Cox returns to her home at Haughton, with many honors. She has become famous as a pianist and vocalist, and is a great and true musical artist. She promises at no distant day to give one of her musical recitals in this city, when it is hoped she will meet with the encouragement she deserves. We wish her a pleasant vacation.

Come, everybody come, to Leon M. Carter's Drug store, Shreveport, for patent medicines, drugs, etc.—We defy competition.

The Government of Norway has sent a commissioner to the United States to study American railway methods.

SOLUTION OF THE FINANCIAL QUESTION.—Buy your drugs, patent medicines, etc., from Leon M. Carter, Shreveport, La.

Ladies can get bargains at the popular millinery store of Miss Mary A. Files, Texas street, Shreveport.

The Shreveport Gray cigar, five cents straight. Sold by Stovall & Smith, Benton.

Economy is the road to Wealth.—Buy your Drugs, &c., from Leon M. Carter, Shreveport.

Do not lose faith in mankind. He who doubts everybody is himself to be doubted.

Warrants on School Fund.

PAID BY PARISH TREASURER DURING MONTH OF MAY.

Current Fund.

- No. 1032—Mrs. A. C. White. \$45 00
- 1033—Miss Tura Norman 50 00
- 1034—Miss D. Thompson 45 00
- 1035—N. W. Cunningham 25 00
- 1036—Jos. Humphrey 25 00
- 1037—Miss S. B. Johnston 45 00
- 1038—J. J. Walker 17 50
- 1039—Mrs. E. G. Boon 25 00
- 1040—E. E. Martin 35 00
- 1041—Mrs. E. E. Insole 25 06
- 1042—Mrs. Roberta Moore 45 00
- 1043—Miss Emma Hall 45 00
- 1044—J. F. Taylor 70 00
- 1045—Miss Leila Mims 70 00
- 1046—W. J. Carmouche 45 00
- 1047—Mrs. L. E. Delane 25 00
- 1048—M. H. Brock 25 00
- 1049—J. E. Johnston 45 00
- 1050—Miss Carrie Doyle 25 00
- 1051—Miss Sallie Furniss 43 36
- 1052—Mrs. N. C. Meares 25 00
- 1053—E. G. Thomas 25 00
- 1054—Mrs. M. C. Coyle 35 00
- 1055—C. H. Woodward 15 00

Township Fund.

- T. 16, R. 11,
- 203—Miss Sallie Furniss 1 64
- T. 16, R. 12,
- 289—J. B. Thompson 35 00
- T. 17, R. 11,
- 291—Mary Washington 25 00
- T. 17, R. 12,
- 290—Virginia Daniel 17 50
- T. 18, R. 12,
- 286—N. W. Cunningham 25 00
- T. 18, R. 13,
- 288—J. E. Sutton 45 00
- T. 19, R. 13,
- 294—J. M. Bates 45 00
- T. 20, R. 11,
- 296—Miss Corrie Connell 45 00
- T. 20, R. 12,
- 285—L. E. Wallace 45 00
- 287—Miss Virginia Dorman 45 00
- 295—Miss Virginia Dorman 45 00
- T. 22, R. 14,
- 293—J. M. Russell 25 00

WHOOPING COUGH.—There is no danger from this disease when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It liquefies the tough mucus and aids its expectoration. It also lessens the severity and frequency of paroxysms of coughing, and insures a speedy recovery. There is not the least danger in giving the remedy to children or babies, as it contains no injurious substance. For sale by W. M. Abney, druggist.

The total Indian population of the United States, exclusive of Alaska, is 248,253, and the expense of maintaining these "wards of the nation" is about \$7,000,000 per year. It is hardly necessary to say that the money thus used is practically thrown away, so far as the interests of civilization are concerned.

Money saved, is money made. Remember the wide awake druggist, Leon M. Carter, Shreveport, is selling goods so cheap, that it will make you forget that the Solons in Washington will do nothing to relieve a suffering people.

There are now 44 States in the Union, Utah, which will soon come in, will make 45. The remaining Territories are Arizona, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Alaska. The Indian Territory is a sort of independent domain, set apart to the Indians by certain treaty rights, but it will, doubtless, soon be given a territorial form of government or annexed to Oklahoma.

While in Stockton, Cal., some time ago, Thos. F. Langan, of Los Banos, that State, was taken very severely with cramps and diarrhoea. He chanced to meet Mr. C. M. Carter, who was similarly afflicted. He says: "I told him of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and he went to the Holden Drug Store and procured a bottle of it. It gave Mr. Carter prompt relief and I can vouch for its having cured me." For sale by W. M. Abney, druggist.

Secretary of State Walter Q. Gresham died at Washington at 1:15 o'clock Tuesday morning, 28th instant, of a complicated attack of pleurisy.

OUR MOTTO.—"Small profits and quick sales." Leon M. Carter, druggist, Shreveport, can convince you the above is not a myth but solid facts.

With the death of Hugh McCulloch the last surviving member of Lincoln's Cabinet passes away.

Why worry and fret over politics, when you can be made happy for so little by buying your drugs etc. from Leon M. Carter, druggist, Shreveport

The mosquito is getting ready to take hold with his bill where the bill collectors left off.

Leon M. Carter, druggist, corner of Texas and Spring streets, has just received a fresh supply of Landreth's garden seed and onion sets.

France has one divorce to every thirteen marriages, and Berlin has one to every seventeen.

Attention, Farmers.

The reliable Druggist, Leon M. Carter, corner of Texas and Spring streets, Shreveport, appreciating the hard times and scarcity of money has inaugurated the new department of selling to the retail trade for cash at wholesale prices. When you are in need of anything in his line call and be convinced. He buys direct from the manufacturers all patent medicines and can sell lower than any house in North Louisiana.

Notice.

We have only a short time left in which to close out the balance of the Dreyfuss Bros. Dry Goods Company's stock.

We shall offer greater bargains than ever in order to wind up the business as soon as possible. JULES AND SAM DREYFUSS, Receivers.

It is said that the Justices of the Supreme Court do not all speak to each other since the income tax cases were decided.

Twenty-two thousand persons died from venomous snake bites in India during 1894.

Dentistry.

Dr. T. M. Comegys, office over Zodiag's, adjoining Opera House, Shreveport, La.

Time Table Cotton Belt Route.

TRAINS SOUTH.
No. 15, local freight, 6:20 A. M.
No. 3, passenger, 10:23 A. M.
TRAINS NORTH.
No. 14, local freight, 10:23 A. M.
No. 4, passenger, 5:17 P. M.
E. THOMAS, Agent.

Dissolution Notice.

The firm of Glassell & Curry, of Plain Dealing, has this day been dissolved by mutual consent.

The junior partner continues under firm name of A. R. CURRY, assuming all liabilities and assets.

A. R. CURRY, June 27

May 27, 1895.

Homestead Entry No. 4257.
Land Office at Natchitoches, La., }
October 17, 1894. }

Notice is hereby given that the following named settler has filed notice of his intention to make final proof in support of his claim, and that said proof will be made before the Honorable Clerk of the District Court, at Benton, La., on November 30, 1894, viz: Homestead Entry No. 4257—John Roberson—for the north half of southwest quarter, southeast quarter of southeast quarter and northwest quarter of southeast quarter of section 17, township 22 North, range 13 West.

He names the following witnesses to prove her continuous residence upon and cultivation of said land, viz: R. H. Davis, Blake Low, Joe Means, Reuben Means, of Roberta P. O.; La.

EDWARD PHILLIPS, Register. July 4

May 30, 1895.

Sheriff's Sale.

James Lockhart } In Justice Court No. }
293, Ward 2, Bossier }
McCallib & Sanders } Parish, La. }

By virtue of a writ of fieri facias issued in above named suit and to me directed, I have seized and will proceed to sell at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, at the front door of the Court House, in the town of Benton, La., within the legal hours of sale, on Saturday, the 8th day of June, 1895, the following described property, to-wit:

Sixty-three thousand and six hundred (63,600) feet of pine lumber, more or less; twenty (20,000) feet of walnut lumber, more or less; and three thousand (3,000) feet of oak lumber, more or less.

The above described property seized as the property of defendants, McCallib & Sanders. Terms of Sale—Cash, subject to benefit of appraisement. A. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff. Benton, La., May 23, 1895.

Sheriff's Sale.

Wm. Hammett } In Justice Court No. }
292, Ward 2, Bossier }
McCallib & Sanders } Parish, Louisiana. }

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Stray Sale.

Strayed before H. Barnacastle, J. P., ward 6, by Allen Robinson, and will be sold at Haughton, La., within the legal hours of sale, on Saturday, June 22, 1895, one Bay Mare Pony, about 13 hands high, star in face, 10 or 12 years old, branded on left shoulder "T. J." Spanish brand on left hip, branded on left jaw with apparently small figure 3 and small split in left ear.

Appraised at \$15. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property, pay charges, &c. J. W. ONEAL, Constable.

Stray Sale.

Strayed before S. P. Johnston, Justice of Peace for Ward 4, Bossier parish, by B. S. Morgan, and will be sold for cash, at Carterville, La., on Saturday, June 29, 1895, one Mouse Colored Mare Mule, 10 years old, 14 hands high and one Red Roan Mare Colt, 14 years old.

Mule appraised at \$35, and colt at \$15. The owner is requested to come forward, prove property and pay charges. C. M. MATLOCK, Constable.

Land Notice.

Notice is hereby given that thirty days from this date, I will make application to Register of State Land Office, at Baton Rouge, La., to enter under provisions of Act 66, of 1888, of State of Louisiana, the south half of northeast quarter and east half of southeast quarter of section 12, township 22 North, of range 12 West, of Northwest Louisiana Land District, containing 160 acres, more or less. SAMUEL T. TAYLOR, June 6

May 9, 1895.

Notice to Trespassers.

No hunting or fishing on my place will be allowed. Trespassers will be prosecuted to the fullest extent of the law. A. CURTIS.

H. BEJACH, President. E. BODENHEIMER, Vice-President. SIDNEY BEJACH, Secretary.

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SHREVEPORT, LOUISIANA.

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Succession Sale.

Succession of John } No. 4881. In District }
J. Horan, deceased. } Court, Caddo Parish, La. }

By virtue of an order of sale to me directed by the Honorable District Court in and for the Parish of Caddo, La., I will on Saturday, June 8, 1895, at the Court House, in the town of Benton, La., within the legal hours of sale, proceed to sell, at public auction, to the last and highest bidder, the following described property, to-wit:

East half of southeast quarter of section 34, township 19 North, range 13 West.

Terms of Sale—Cash, if the appraisement or two-thirds thereof be bid, else on a credit of 12 months, according to law. A. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff and ex-officio Auctioneer, Bossier Parish, La.

1895. **HAVE YOU READ THE Philadelphia Times THIS MORNING?**

THE TIMES is the most extensively circulated and widely read newspaper published in Pennsylvania. Its discussion of public men and public measures is in the interest of public integrity, honest government and prosperous industry, and it knows no party or personal allegiance in treating public issues.

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WEEKLY EDITION, 50 cents a year. Address all letters to THE TIMES, Philadelphia, Pa.

Partition Sale.

A. J. Murff vs. T. W. W. Stinson, et al., No. 3954. In District Court of Louisiana, Parish of Bossier.

By virtue of an order and commission for sale, issued in above entitled suit, and to me directed, authorizing and requiring me to sell for the purpose of partition between plaintiff and defendants, the hereinafter described land owned in indivision by them, I will, on Saturday, June 8th, 1895, at the Court House door, in the town of Benton, La., within the legal hours of sale, proceed to sell at public auction to the last and highest bidder the following described land, subdivided into twenty lots, containing four acres each, as per survey by J. W. Rabb, Parish Surveyor, on file in said suit, No. 3954, each lot to be sold separately, to-wit:

The northeast quarter of southwest quarter of section 29, township 20, range 13, and northwest quarter of southeast quarter or section 30, township 20, range 13, Parish of Bossier, La.

Terms of Sale—Cash, with the benefit of appraisement. A. R. THOMPSON, Sheriff and ex-officio Auctioneer. Benton, La., May 2, 1895.

Harry D. Watson,

Notary Public and Abstractor of Land Titles. Notarized Homestead Entries of State and United States lands promptly attended to. Full Abstracts of all lands in Bossier Parish and all lots in Benton.

Immigration Agent. Parties wishing to sell land would do well to confer with me. J. E. ADGER, Hughes' Spur, Bossier Parish, La.